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For: GEL-SWELLABLE LAYERS ON FIBERS, FIBER RIBBONS AND BUFFER TUBES

SUBMISSION OF DRAWINGS

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith please find 7 sheet(s) of drawings in compliance with  
37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these  
drawings.

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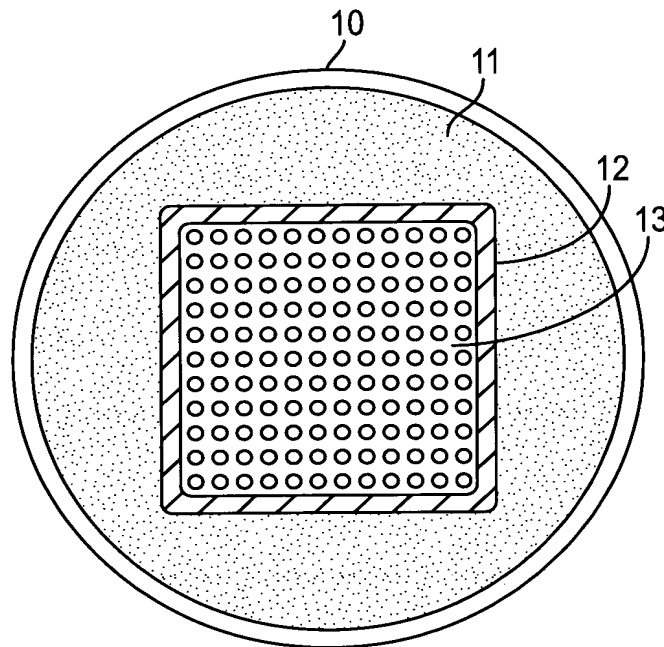


FIG. 1

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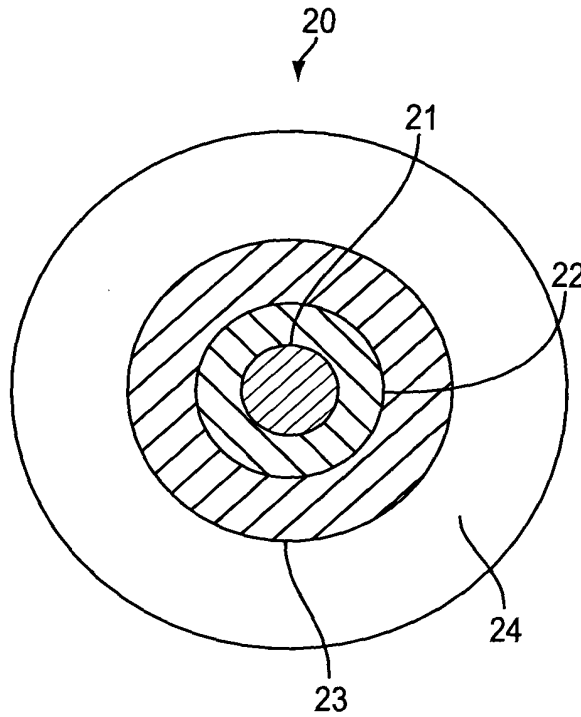


FIG. 2A

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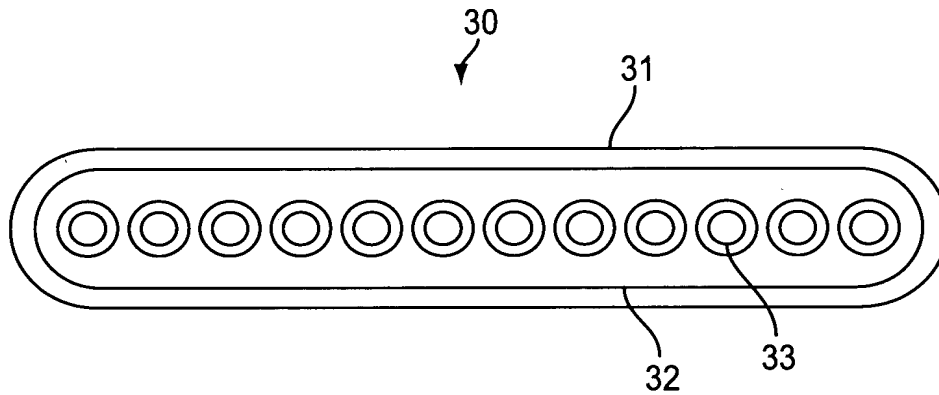


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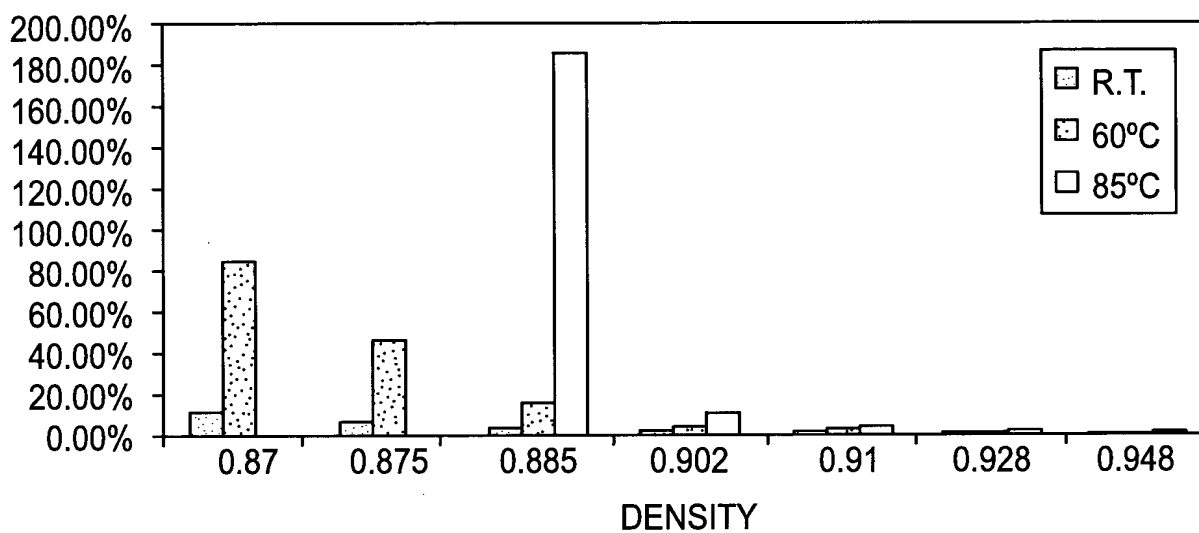


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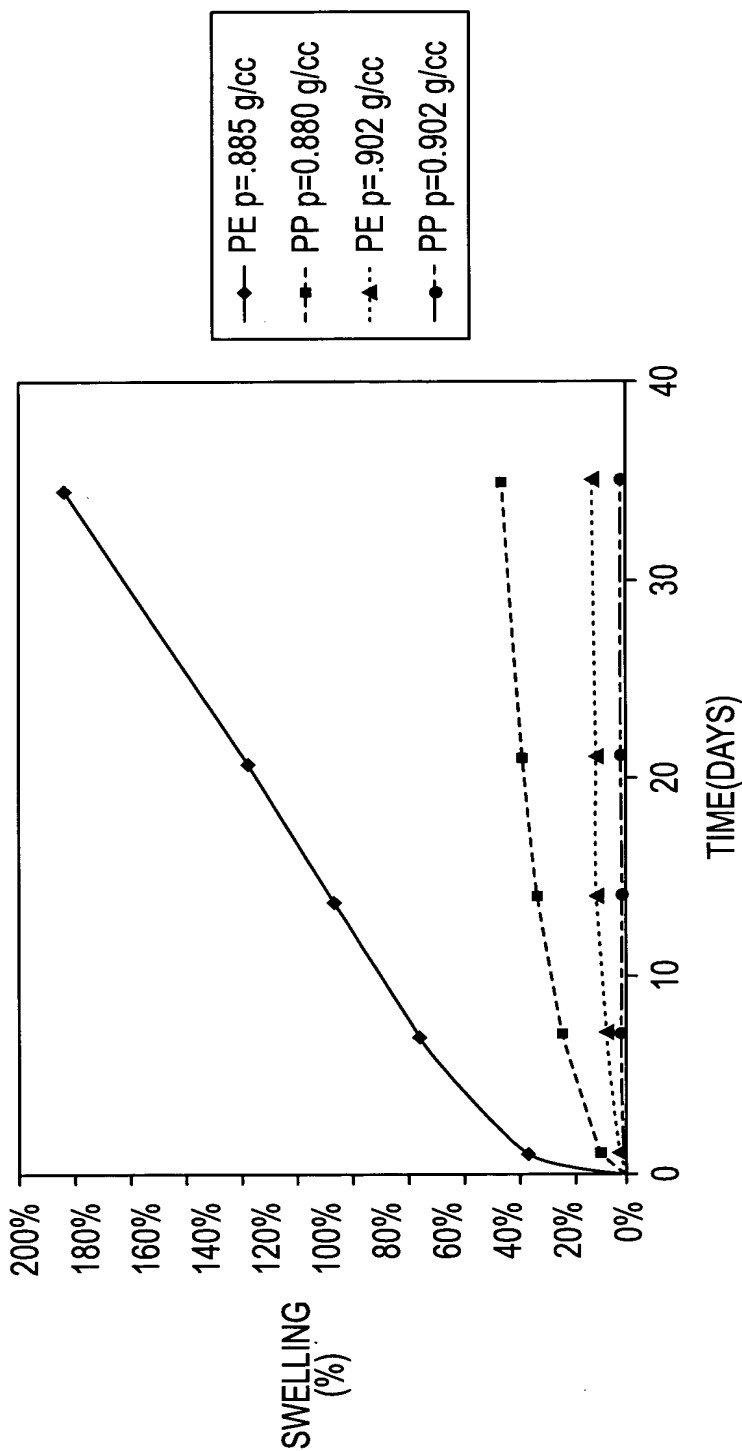


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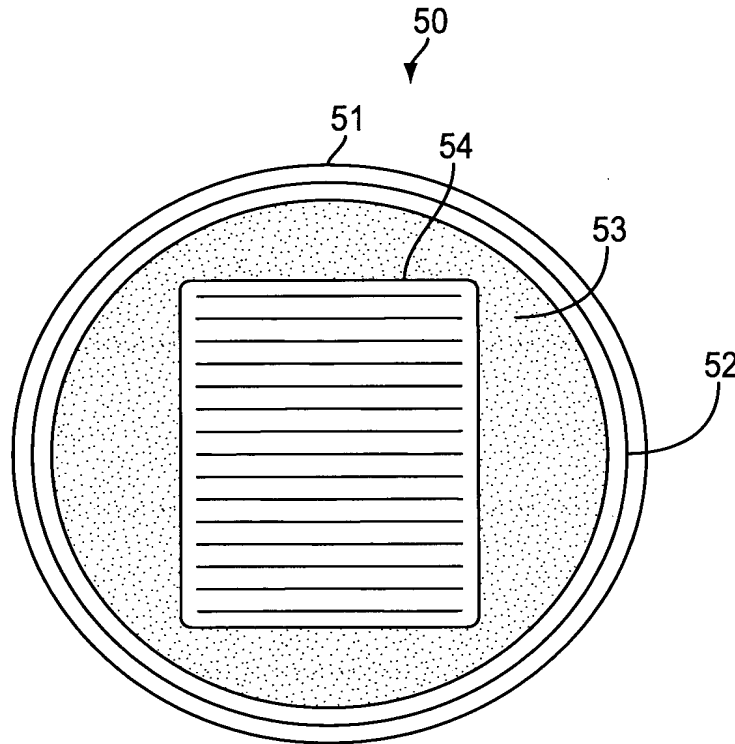


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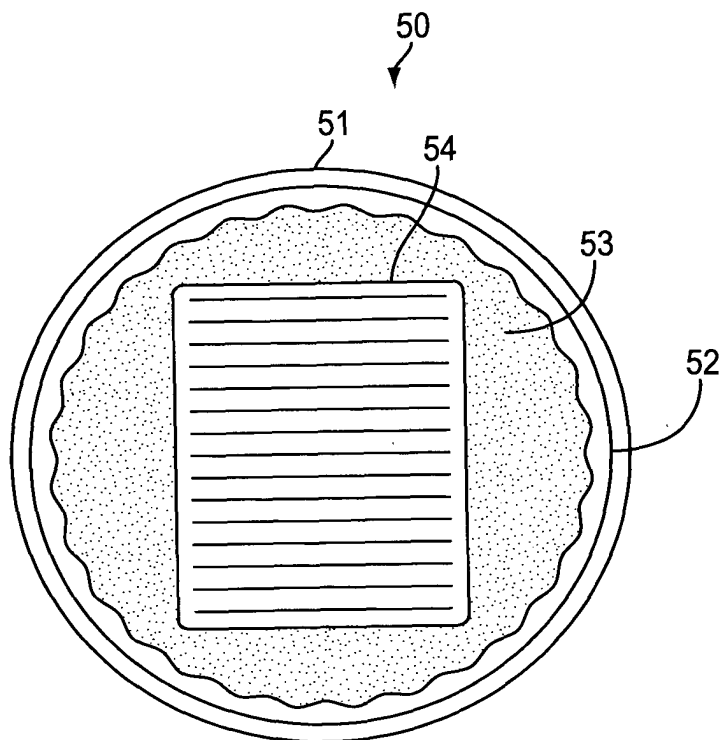


FIG. 6